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ENGLAND DECLARES WAR ON GERMANY

RELATIONS SEVERED BEFORE EXPIRATION ULTIMATUM

WALL STREET FACES
PRECEDENT IN TRADE
PROBLEMS OF CENTURY

AMERICANS SEEKING
PASSAGE HOME WILL
TRAVEL IN STEERAGE

UNLESS SOLVED INTRICATE MATTER WILL HAVE SERIOUS RESULTS FOR UNITED STATES.

London Offices Steamship Lines Thronged Through Out the Day.

STOCK EXCHANGES ARE CLOSED MANY IN FINANCIAL STRaits

By Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 4.—Although the United States waited patiently today, little progress was made toward the resumption of the interchange of credits between the old world and the new. Wall street turned its trade position more distrustful than any other in history. Under time is no record, the exchanges had no records in the United States. The great exchange is dead.

EUROPEAN INFLUENCE FELT
BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The European terms of trade are still influential today. The terms of credit now spread of a few days per month and stand steady with a limit of 2% to 2½ cents.

COTTON CONDITION IMPROVED
By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Following the lead of New York, Boston determinedly insisted that the cotton market was the eastern belief that the western states had an object from the south, according to the weather bulletins.

WOULD RELIEVE DEPRESSION
By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Mobilization of cotton

RED CROSS OFFERS SERVICE
American Organization Ready to Aid in Foreign War

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The American Red Cross offered its services to help all countries in their mobilization in war.

In view of the cotton industry from the depression throughout the year, the Red Cross offers a committee of experts, men and representatives, to

HOPES OF THE POWERS FROM THE PRESENT CRISIS.

The ambivalence of the European powers in the present crisis seems to be.

London, confirmation of Russia's demand of 54 southern Slavic under the Tolvachow treaty, submission of their demands to Germany and

Germany's declaration of the "war party" for a generation, in case of a general war, neutrality of Germany, interests with Italy itself, alliance as a temporary cloud.

Italy—impacts of Germany in her policy of colonial expansion.

France—declaration of empire to the Congress and the southward, rapidly the extent of France and Britain with their expansion; expansion of Constantinople, independence of Russia as counterpoise dominant power in Eastern Europe.

Prussia—Rupture of Germany implies breakdown of the Prussian alliance in imperial military, especially with her neighbor's opportunity to disrupt her with African colonies, recovery of lost provinces of Alsace and Lorraine.

Other Balkans—Maintenance of balance of power in Europe; maintenance of Italian commercial and naval neutrality; preservation of her colonial possessions.

WILSON PLANS FOR RELIEF THOUSANDS OF AMERICANS IN EUROPEAN WAR ZONES

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The president of the Association of American Farmers in the European war zones will be summoned to Washington, D. C., to discuss the situation of the American farmer in Europe.

President Wilson said the cabinet were fully ready with plans for the usual or emergency relief, the com-

mission of India Atlantic shipping, to move the American crops and the distribution of American financial con-

ditions.

The president called Congress to adjourn—by noon—now for the American. The arranged dinner Tommorrow with Thursday by European ports will hold for the relief of Americans already Germany says the Americans will not be permitted to leave during the negotiations. President Wilson said the

President's speech will follow the conclusion of the negotiations of the neutrality of the United States during the European conflict.

SALTILLO PEACE CONFERENCE HAS FAILED IN OBJECT

TRANSFER OF AUTHORITY TO
CARRANZA BY CARBAJAL NOT
COMPLETED.

By Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Plans for the transfer of authority to Carranza by Carballo have failed, because the Carrancista delegation would not consent to negotiate for the unification and unification of the government to Carranza, according to late advice to

FRENCH RED CROSS ACTIVE.
1900 Women, Including Titled Ladies,
Offer Services.

By Associated Press
PARIS, Aug. 4.—French, including some of the titled ladies of France and many Americans are volunteering their services to French Red Cross.

PRIETOW BELEIVED DEFEATED.
TOEPPKE, Edm., Aug. 4.—United States Senator Prietow is apparently unable to negotiate for the unification and unification of the government to Carranza, according to late advice to

Wrath of British Lion Incurred by Germany Over Stand
Taken in Belgian Neutrality Matter....
Russia Asks England's Support

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Aug. 4.—Great Britain declared war on Germany tonight.

The momentous decision of the British government for which the whole world has been waiting came before the expiration of the time limit set by Great Britain in her ultimatum to Germany, demanding a satisfactory reply on the subject of Belgium's neutrality. Germany's reply was the summary rejection of the request that the Belgian neutrality should be respected.

The British ambassador at Berlin thereupon received his passport, and the British government then notified Germany that a state of war existed between the two countries.

By Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 4.—All Europe is up in arms: Austria-Hungary and Germany are opposed by Russia, France, Great Britain, Serbia and Montenegro; Belgium, Holland, and Switzerland have mobilized. Italy has declared her neutrality, but is mobilizing.

The German demand that the Belgian government should permit the free passage of German troops through Belgium was answered by hasty preparations to resist such an advance across Belgian territory. Sweden has made no answer to inquiries from Russia and Germany regarding her attitude, but is preparing to defend her neutrality.

The British foreign office issued the following statement: "Owing to the summary rejection by the German government of the request made by his Britannic majesty's government that the neutrality of Belgium should be respected, his majesty's ambassador has received his passport, and his majesty's government has declared to the German government that a state of war exists between Great Britain and Germany, from 11:00 o'clock p. m. August fourth."

King George's telegram to the Russian emperor in a final effort to avoid war, and the emperor's reply have been made public. The kind said: "I make a personal appeal to you to leave open ground for the negotiations for possible peace."

The Russian emperor replied he would have accepted the proposals had not Germany declared war. "Germany," says Emperor Nicholas, "showed no disposition to mediate and her preparations made it imperative that Russia should mobilize. I trust England will not fail to support Russia and France. God bless you and protect you."

Young men paraded through the streets carrying the Union Jack, with vociferous cheering. Thousands assembled at Buckingham Palace until King George, Queen Mary and Princess

Mary and the Prince of Wales appeared on the balcony. A mob gathered around the German embassy tonight and hooted and threw stones, breaking the windows. The German ambassador withdrew.

ILL WILL AGAINST GERMANY

By Associated Press
BERLIN, Aug. 4.—Emperor Wilhelm opened parliament in person today and said, "The present situation arises not from temporary conflicts of interest, or diplomatic combinations, but as a result of the ill will existing for years against Germany. We are not desirous of conquest, but are moved by the unending desire to secure for ourselves, and those coming after us, the place on which God has put us."

"The world has been the witness of the indefatigable manner in which we stood in the front rank to save Europe from war. The greatest events

BRITISH SHIP SUNK.

By Associated Press
LONDON, Aug. 5 (Wednesday).—A British mine laying ship has been sunk by the German fleet. The British torpedo boat destroyer Pathfinder was pursued by the fleet but escaped.

TOWNS BEING SHELLED.
By Associated Press
BRUSSELS, BELGIUM, Aug. 4.—German warships are now engaged in shelling the towns of Leige and Namur. Telegraphic communication is badly crippled from these actions, and reports concerning the fighting, and the amount of damage done are meagre.

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